

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

Chang et al.

Serial No.: 10/724,897

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For: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR INDEXING, SEARCHING, AND RETRIEVING
SEMANTIC OBJECTS

Honorable Commissioner of Patents
Alexandria, VA 22313 - 1450

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated November 27, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

Claims 1-6, 8-19, 21-31, and 33-37 are all the claims presently pending in the application. Claims 14-19 and 21-25 are amended to more clearly define the invention. Claims 1, 14, and 26 are independent.